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HARVARD'S Professor of History, ALBERT B. HART, in an interesting article in Harper's Magazine, calls attention to the fact, and illustrates his point by copious quotations, that the present debates over the annexation of Puerto Rico and the Philippines center, with more prolixity and less cogency, the same passionate objections and the same rejoinders which busied the minds of the Senate and the House in the discussion of the Louisiana Purchase in 1803. Nothing has been raised by the expansionists of the present time over those of a century ago, although those of today must admit that the reasoning of their namesakes was defective. The objectors of those days were simply obstructionists, as badly divided in opinion as are those of the present day, having no common principle on which all could stand.

SOME of those Grand Army Posts which have been investigating the Commissioner of Pensions for alleged hostility to old soldiers might want a few interesting facts if they turned their attention to the case of some dozen or more Republican Senators who are using their influence for the retention of "Colonel" RICHARD BRIGHT, the present Democratic Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate. Having been a member of the Knights of the Golden Circle and an associate of VALLANDIGHAM during the War, "Colonel" BRIGHT, as Sergeant-at-Arms, had no mercy on Union soldiers, discharging them by the dozen and filling their places with Democrats. "Colonel" BRIGHT is not on trial, however; the old soldiers understand him thoroughly; but perhaps they have difficulty in comprehending the good politics of those Republican Senators who are his such staunch supporters.

When children have earache, saturate a piece of cotton with Vaseline Ointment and place it in the ear. It will soothe the pain quickly and relieve the child. J. W. Wood & Son.

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Monthly business meeting of the Epworth League of the M. E. Church, Third street, will be held this evening at 7 o'clock at the Church. All members and friends are cordially invited, as there will be something to see and hear that will interest and do them good.

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Fresh Oysters at Rogers's.

Mrs. T. E. Williams was yesterday granted a divorce by Judge H. M. Williams in the Mason Circuit Court.

At the recent session of the Harrison Circuit Court four of Cynthia's leading business men were fined \$10 and costs each for selling cigarettes to minors.

During 1899 there were about six million dollars of bananas imported into this country. They sold by the wholesale at an average of thirty-five cents a bunch.

Mrs. Hannah Phipps, aged 90, of Dover, was yesterday stricken with paralysis. She was born in Lexington on September 9, 1809. Mrs. Phipps was a remarkable woman, and did all her housework, washing and gardening up to her 90th year. Her death is momentarily expected.

The Avalon will pass up tonight for Pomeroy.

The Lizzie Hay for Pomeroy passed up last night.

The Bonanza will be down tonight from Pomeroy.

The Virginia will be the Wheeling and Pittsburgh packet tonight.

The Keystone State will be down tomorrow night from Pittsburgh.

The city of Pittsburgh will be ready for business about the first of next week.

From January 25th to March 1st the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company shipped South from Pittsburgh 27 coalboats and 29 barges loaded with coal, an approximate shipment of 5,467,000 bushels. The total shipment from December 15th last, when the heavy tonnage began, was 34,039,000 bushels.

The three Pittsburgh rivers have started to recede rapidly, but it is predicted that before the water gets down very far the heavy rain of Saturday will start the streams to ascend again. From reports received from up-river points the rain was a great deal heavier than it was in Pittsburgh and vicinity, and that it was still falling yesterday. Another large shipment of coal was started South, making the total shipment for the past two days almost two million bushels. In all twenty-four coalboats, thirty barges and five flats loaded with coal were started Sunday, and two model barges of iron rails were also started. A number of boats arrived late Sunday afternoon and left for lower river points with tons today.

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KENTUCKY FLASHES.

SENSATION EXPECTED.

Detectives and Attorneys are busy working on the Goebel Assassination Case.

Frankfort, Ky., March 6.—There is unusual activity among the detectives and attorneys who are working on the Goebel assassination case. Col. T. G. Campbell, the New York criminal lawyer, is here directing the general conduct of the investigation, and it is strongly intimated that something of a sensational nature may develop on the examining trial of Harland Whitaker.

About 20 witnesses so far are known to have been summoned, and of these, if any, will give the expected sensational testimony is not known, nor is it told who the evidence will connect with the assassination further than it will likely implicate very prominent men.

LYNCHING MAY FOLLOW.

Four Arrests Made in Connection With the Murder of William Hughes at London, Ky.

London, Ky., March 6.—The murder of young William Hughes by the Smallwood gang, near East Bernstadt Saturday night, may result in a lynching. The parties under arrest charged with the crime are Ed Smallwood, John Leonard, two daughters, Lizzie and Ida, Mary Cassaday and Hamp Gregg. All refuse to talk.

Evidence at the coroner's inquest showed that Lizzie Smallwood used a double-barreled shotgun to blow off the top of Hughes' head. She also tried to shoot Deputy Collier when her arrest was made. The prisoners were brought here under guard to prevent lynching.

There is a view as to who fatally stabbed Ed Price near Pittsburgh on Saturday night.

Contest Briefs Filled. Louisville, Ky., March 6.—The briefs in the contest of Leckham and Taylor vs. Leckham, involving the question as to who is the legal governor of Kentucky, were filed in the circuit court. Justice Field has decided to devote his entire time to the case until he has reached a decision. Judge Jesselton to preside in the law and equity case. This time a decision is not expected until the end of the week.

Has Jurisdiction. Louisville, Ky., March 6.—In the hearing of the case of D. J. Cavanaugh vs. Leckham, involving a question of jurisdiction as between the Kenton circuit court and the United States court, Justice Evans rendered an opinion holding that the Kenton circuit court had jurisdiction. His ground was that the fraudulent transfers complained of were not alleged as acts of bankruptcy.

Louisville Commercial Sold. Louisville, Ky., March 6.—The Louisville Commercial, the controlling interest in which is sold to the old owners by A. B. Dupont, of Detroit, and T. C. Dupont, of Pittsburgh, announces that the "ownership and control" passed into the hands of the republicans yesterday.

Went to His Brother's Funeral. Frankfort, Ky., March 6.—W. S. Taylor, accompanied by United States Senator Deane and Secretary Todd, left here for Morgantown, Butler county, to attend the funeral of his brother, Alonzo Taylor, who died very suddenly Sunday afternoon. He will remain away from the capital for several days.

Placed in the Peachtree. Pikeville, Ky., March 6.—Ed. Black, an Indiana drummer, who contracted smallpox at Richmond, Ky., was stricken with the malady at a boarding house here. The doctor ordered him placed in a tent on Broadway work hill. A suspect named Wilder was also placed in the pesthouse with him.

Marvel of Endurance. Dover, Ky., March 6.—Mrs. Hannah Phipps, aged 90 years, was stricken with paralysis and her death is hourly expected. She was born in Lexington on September 9, 1809. Mrs. Phipps was a remarkable woman and did all her housework, washing and gardening up to her 90th year.

Skipped From Their Creditors. Richmond, Ky., March 6.—Chanchallo and Shalla, Italians, who came here from Cincinnati recently and opened a confectionery, skipped the town, leaving the stock to satisfy numerous creditors. Sheriff Colyer took charge of their establishment.

General Store Burglarized. Lancaster, Ky., March 6.—Early on Sunday morning at Lowell, this county, thieves entered the general store of Metcalfe & Co. and stole \$55 in money and a large amount of goods and made their escape.

National Bank Stock Not Taxable. Winchester, Ky., March 6.—Judge Scott has decided that the stock of the national banks is not taxable for state and county purposes.

Broke His Leg Bowling. Cynthia, Ky., March 6.—L. E. Blanton, a 60-year-old bowler, slipped and fell, breaking his right leg between the knee and hip.

Pioneer Called. Greenvale, Ky., March 6.—Wm. Womack, one of the oldest pioneers in Greenvale county, died at his home in Greenvale.

Colson's Sister's Arm Broken. Lancaster, Ky., March 6.—Mrs. W. B. Colson, sister of Col. Colson, fell from a carriage, badly breaking her arm.

Railway Matters

RAISE IN RATES. Effective February 15th, there will be a slight advance in roundtrip ticket rates on C. and O. Cincinnati & East, limit 6 days including date of sale. Limit to other stations on Cincinnati & East, except that including date of sale, are good returning on Monday.

W. W. Winkley, Agent. HOMESEKERS' EXCURSION VIA C. AND O. On February 6th-20th, March 6th-20th and April 3d-17th, 1900, homeseekers excursion tickets will be sold to points in the states of Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming. Tickets will be good 21 days from date of sale, and stopover of fifteen days will be allowed after passenger reaches first homeseeker point. For further information as to rates, time, etc., address T. A. Garrigan, S. E. P. A., Huntington, Va., or Agent.

HOMESEKERS' EXCURSIONS. On February 6th and 20th, March 6th and 20th and April 3d and 17th the Missouri Pacific Railroad and Iron Mountain Route will have on sale round-trip homeseekers' excursion tickets to points in Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Indian Territory, Idaho, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Utah, Wyoming and Oregon at rate of one fare plus 25. Tickets good twenty-one days from date of sale, with stopover privileges on going trip to inspect lands allowing fifteen days to reach destination. Rates, land pamphlets and full particulars will be cheerfully furnished. A. A. Gallagher, D. P. A., 26 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

TOUR OF OLD MEXICO. A personally conducted party for a thirty days tour of the Republic of Mexico will leave Cincinnati the morning of Wednesday, February 15th. The trip will be made in special train of Pullman sleeping and dining cars in charge of an experienced manager, and will visit the most interesting places. The number of passengers taken on this trip is positively limited to fifty. Cost of tickets cover entire expense. This is an opportunity seldom offered to visit Mexico under such favorable auspices. Ladies without escorts can make this tour without experiencing in the slightest degree the unpleasantness of being in any way oppressed by the doubts and difficulties incident to travel in the ordinary way. For full particulars apply to J. W. P. A., Iron Mountain Route, 48 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

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ARMS RETURNED

The Removal of Kentucky's Arsenal from Frankfort to London Suddenly Stopped.

OFFICIALS GIVE NO REASON FOR IT.

There is a report that the War Department at Washington ordered the immediate change.

The Removal of the Arsenal Equipment Was the Subject of a Resolution Introduced in the Senate.

Frankfort, Ky., March 6.—The orders for shipment of guns and ammunition from the state arsenal to London, Ky., by the republican state authorities was revoked, and a car loaded with munitions of war consigned to London was unloaded and its contents returned to the arsenal here. The officials give no reason for the change of programme. The soldiers, acting under orders, were ordered to unload the guns. This is a report that the war department at Washington interfered and has ordered the guns and ammunition to be taken to London to be returned here.

The removal of the arsenal equipments was the subject of a resolution introduced in the senate. It was followed by Senator Triplett, anti-Gaelic democrat, and reads:

"Resolved, That a committee of two members of the house and three members of the senate be appointed to investigate the report now current that the guns, arms and munitions of the state have been removed by W. S. Taylor, or by his orders to certain officials of the state troops, to London, Ky., and that if said report is found to be true, the said committee shall at once prepare an act authorizing Gen. John B. Campbell to purchase and equip all the necessary gun and equipment to replace said material illegally removed; and that he is further authorized to summon and equip a sufficient army of state militia to recover all of the guns and other munitions so taken and replace same in the state arsenal; and that a sum of \$250,000 be hereby appropriated by the general assembly of the commonwealth of Kentucky to carry out the provisions of said act, and that the auditor of the state shall draw his warrant upon the treasurer for the sum necessary to carry out the provisions of the act."

The resolution lies over. The friends of the McChord railroad anti-semitism bill will make a fight in the house to take the bill out of the orders of the day. Those leading the opposition to the measure claim that every republican member of the house has signed the bill out of a quorum, and that the defeat of the bill is assured. A number of democrats are out of line, and the bill is threatened that bill, notwithstanding it was introduced by the democratic state platform.

TOO SOON TO ACT.

The United States May Retain Against the German Government For Excluding American Men.

Washington, March 6.—It is said in official circles here that there is nothing for the United States government to do at this stage in the working out of the policy of the German government respecting the treatment of American men. Those who are in the uniform insisted that no foreign power had any right to interfere with the respect of pending legislation, and that the United States government in Washington, where, in isolated instances, they have disregarded this injunction. Therefore, officials in the state department can not find a proper place just now for any official communication against the proposed addition to the restrictions upon American commerce.

The officials here show no open resentment at the recently approved effort of the German government to prevent our consuls from acquiring any information as to the adulteration of German goods and the existence of diseases among German animals, but these are quietly collecting evidence, such, for instance, as a complete analysis of German wheat entering the United States, which are now being made by the department of agriculture with a special view to the detection of adulteration. The wine imported are regarded as particularly dear to the German interests, as they are the products of German soil.

ECHO OF A GREAT FAILURE.

Case Between the Fidelity National Bank of Cincinnati and a New York Bank Decided.

Washington, March 6.—In the United States supreme court Justice Harlan handed down an opinion in the case between the Fidelity National Bank of Cincinnati and the New York National Bank, New York, involving the validity of a loan of \$200,000 made on the application of E. L. Harper, vice president of the New York bank. This money was credited to Harper's individual account. The Cincinnati bank failed, and when the New York concerns asked for the money among its creditors the receiver of the failed bank refused to grant the request. The New York bank then retired precipitately when the British shelled them. The Boers then opened

ON LOOSE

That City Is To Be Relieved As Soon As the Siege of Kimberley Is Properly Raised.

GEN. LORD ROBERTS IS SILENT AGAIN

This Is Taken To Mean That Something Important Has Happened Or Is About To Happen.

The Relief of Ladysmith Cost Great Britain Upward of 5,000 Officers and Men in an Army of Only 25,000 Strong.

London, March 6.—Mafeking is to be relieved as soon as the British force direct on the way to Kimberley can raise the siege. This force is described vaguely as "strong." In view of the fact that the Kimberley light horse is under the control of the Boers, Gen. Lord Roberts' visit to Kimberley probably had to do with an arrangement with Cecil Rhodes to use this company of troops.

Mr. Rhodes and Col. Kekewich have had differences of policy, it appears, which now has been ended again. "Kimberley." "What shall I do with him?" Col. Kekewich is said to have wired to Roberts, who half humorously replied, according to a story circulated at the clubs, "Put him in chains."

Fresh intelligence as to what Lord Roberts is doing has ceased again. This silence is taken to mean that something has happened or is about to happen.

Boer raiders are uncommonly active in the northwestern section of Cape Colony, where they are stirring up the Dutch. Martial law has, consequently, been declared.

Mr. Chamberlain's request for 2,500 additional Australian bushmen is understood to be complied with. The Boers have been quietly collecting great quantities of ammunition and stores in the mountain fastnesses of the Zoutpansberg district in the north of the Transvaal, and are preparing to carry on guerrilla warfare.

POSITION OF THE ARMIES.

That of the British Seems to Be the Most Advantageous—But Little Fighting Around Oosfontein.

London, March 6.—A dispatch to the Standard from Oosfontein, dated Sunday, March 4, says: "Lord Roberts' army now occupies a most advantageous position. The sixth division, under Gen. Kelly-Kenny, is posted on the right and holds all the kopjes for a distance of five miles against the hill of the Modder. The division, under Gen. Tucker, is in the center, immediately south of the river, and Gen. Colville, with his ninth division, is on the north bank. The cavalry brigade, under Gen. French, is posted on the left front, and the mounted infantry, under Col. Kidley-Murray, on the right front. "The country round consists of wide grassy plains, broken only by ridges and isolated kopjes. A body of the enemy has taken up a position on one of the latter, a flat-topped hill to the north of the river, five miles beyond Gen. French's position. The British out horse artillery and shelled them. Another force of 4,000 strong holds an isolated group of kopjes south of the Modder and in front of the British mounted infantry. Their position is surrounded on all sides by level plains over which the Boers must make their way in order to reach the river. As a consequence their situation appears precarious in the extreme.

The veil is now in beautiful condition. Water is plentiful, supplies being obtainable not only from the river, but also from numerous small springs. The health and morale of the troops are excellent. The British cavalry and mounted infantry have been reconnoitering the enemy's positions. There has been little fighting."

ENGLAND'S GREAT LOSS.

The Relief of Ladysmith Cost Upward of 5,000 Officers and Men—Tribute to Buller.

London, March 6.—Winston Churchill, describing the relief of Ladysmith in a dispatch published by the Morning Post, says: "It is well effected at a cost of upward of 5,000 officers and men in an army only 25,000 strong."

He goes on to pay a high tribute to Sir Buller, who, he says, "with the confidence his men had in him, 'with-out which the enterprise could hardly have succeeded.'"

Mr. Churchill's attack on February 27 Mr. Churchill says: "Considered in itself, it was a masterpiece, soundly conceived, boldly launched, and skillfully executed." He adds that "More also was due to the greatly improved intelligence department."

Mr. Churchill points out that the Boers now hold Van Rensselaer's Pass, but that a majority of the Free States have accompanied the Transvaal northward.

Boer Trekking Temporarily Stopped. Oosfontein, March 3.—Gen. French noticed a body of Boers trekking northward, and sent a squadron to keep in touch with them. The troops were followed by about 150 Boers, who advanced across the river and retired precipitately when the British shelled them. The Boers then opened

a heavy fire with Maxims, and also began firing from a kopje in the center of the position. The long-range 15-pounder. The Boer trekking in consequence of Gen. French's movement, was temporarily stopped.

Not Time for Mediation.

Rome, March 6.—In the chamber of deputies, replying to several deputies who suggested that the time had arrived for mediation in South Africa, the minister of foreign affairs, Marquis Visconti Venosta, declared that he shared such sentiments, but thought action in the desired sense could only be exercised when circumstances rendered it opportune and likely to be successful, and he thought that moment had not yet arrived.

Martial Law Proclaimed.

Cape Town, March 6.—Sir Alfred Milner has issued the following proclamation: "Whereas, the enemy's forces have invaded the districts of Prieska, Kenhardt, Britstown and Barkley West; and whereas, many British subjects have taken up arms and it is necessary to repress the invasion and suppress rebellion; now, therefore, martial law is hereby proclaimed in these districts."

Kruger Ready to Conclude Peace.

Brussels, March 6.—The Transvaal agency here confirms the statement that President Kruger is ready to conclude peace with Great Britain on the basis of the independence of the two republics, and that otherwise the struggle will continue to the bitter end. The agency believes that the Afrikaner element in Cape Colony and Natal will rebel rather than allow annexation.

Occupies a Boer Position.

London, March 6.—A dispatch to the Times from Bulawayo, dated February 27, says: "Col. Plumer yesterday occupied the position at Crocodile Pool, which the Boers evacuated on February 25. It is not known whether the enemy have taken another position or been ordered to retreat owing to events in the south."

Battle Expected at Fourteen Streams.

Cape Town, March 6.—A strong force of British, including the Kimberley light horse, is marching northward from Kimberley. It is expected that the crossing of the Vaal river will be disputed at Fourteen Streams, where the railway bridge has been wrecked.

Gen. Gatacre Enters Stormberg.

Stormberg, March 5.—Evening.—Gen. Gatacre entered Stormberg unopposed today, the Boers having evacuated the place. The Boers destroyed the railway approaches, but the station is intact.

Boers in Full Retreat.

Dordrecht, March 5.—Evening.—Gen. Buller has secured a complete victory. The Boers are in full retreat with their guns and wagons, and are being pursued.

Boer Front Covers 18 Miles.

Dordrecht, March 5.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Oosfontein, dated Sunday, says: "The boer front covers 18 miles to the south of the Modder river."

Gen. Buller's Recent Casualties.

London, March 6.—Gen. Buller's revised list of casualties from February 10 to February 27 gives 52 men killed, 684 wounded and 25 missing.

COLLISION OF TRAINS.

Two Men Killed and More Than Forty Persons Injured, Many of Whom Will Die.

Brazil, Ind., March 6.—A miners' train, carrying 40 workmen employed in the coal mines in front of their homes in this city, was run into by a local freight train on the C. & E. I. railroad, and the caboose and two cars crashed into splinters. Melvin Easter and Charles Cronsey were instantly killed and more than 40 persons severely wounded. Among the seriously injured, many of whom will die, are: Thomas Barrowman, both legs broken; Will Dowdell, injured internally; William Landon, injured in the chest; Samuel Lynch, internal injuries; John Dickson, both arms broken; Thomas Davis, both arms broken; John Little, arm broken; William Vesper, internal injuries.

The wreck occurred in a deep cut in the center of a short curve. The railroad company at once sent a special train and brought the wounded to this city. When the train arrived the wounded were placed in the waiting room of the hotel and cared for by employees of the company until conveyances could be secured to take them home.

Frederick William McIntosh and Firman Ed Sheehan, of the freight train, were injured by jumping when they observed the impending danger. The engine was disabled and overturned.

The blame for the accident has not yet been placed, as it was impossible for the engineer to see the lights on the caboose of the miners' train till within a few feet of it.

The overturned engine fired from an overturned stove, and the men who were rescuing the wounded were forced to turn their attention to the flames. Those who remained in the wreck from being cremated.

Grave Complications Feared.

Sydney, N. S. W., March 6.—According to mail advices from Samoa, the German fleet predicts grave complications in connection with a serious native disturbance in the island of Samoa on February 3.

Another Death From the Plague.

Sydney, N. S. W., March 6.—Another death from bubonic plague has occurred here.

BATTLE IN LIZON

Gen. Bates' Expedition Has Entered the Southern Part of the Filipino Territory.

THE ENEMY RESISTED AT ONE POINT.

Two Americans Were Killed, Including Lieut. John B. Gallagher, of the 40th Volunteer Infantry.

Forty Minutes' Fighting at Close Quarters With Bayonets—The Enemy's Loss Is Estimated at 110—Several Towns Occupied.

Manila, March 6.—Gen. Bates' expedition to Southern Luzon, consisting of the 40th and 43rd regiments, a total of 2,500 men, has occupied Nueva Caceres, province of South Camarines, Dact, province of North Camarines, and the neighboring smaller towns. The enemy resisted at one point, and the insurgents were killed, including Lieut. John B. Gallagher, of the 40th regiment.

On February 20 the expedition arrived at San Miguel bay, landed and, in three columns, immediately pushed inland, converging upon Nueva Caceres and attempting to control the enemy's routes to retreat.

At Libmanan, north of Nueva Caceres, the enemy was concealed in the rice field and resisted a battalion of the 40th regiment, which engaged them at close quarters with bayonets. After 40 minutes' fighting the enemy fled, and Libmanan was occupied.

The Americans buried 64 of the enemy, whose total loss in killed and wounded is estimated at 140.

From Libmanan the expedition proceeded to Nueva Caceres, the gunboat Pangasinan arriving ten minutes ahead of the troops. The town was found deserted.

The Americans daily scouting in the vicinity report that the enemy have retreated into the mountains.

The insurgents around Legaspi and Albay, province of South Camarines are harassing the Americans there nightly. Foreigners doing business in Legaspi are living on ships in the harbor or in the American barracks.

Lieut. Edgar F. Koehler, of the 9th regiment, who was shot and slightly wounded at a village six miles north of Talar, where he went in search of some hidden rifles, a Filipino, promising to show him the way, was shot into ambush away from his command. The soldiers in revenge burned the village and killed 24 of the enemy.

The transport Shenan will sail for Manila on March 14, and will carry with it 120 soldiers and convicts and 20 insane soldiers.

He Was a Krentschkin.

Washington, March 6.—Lieut. John Barbour Gallagher, whose death is reported by Gen. Otis, was born at Krentschkin, Pa., in 1874, and was in the Porto Rican campaign as first lieutenant and adjutant of the 1st Kentucky volunteers. He was appointed first lieutenant of the 40th volunteer infantry in 1899, and served with his regiment in the Philippines from December last up to the time of his death.

TO CHIEF WHITE PAPER.

A Bill Introduced in the Senate Which Is Aimed as a Blow to the White Paper Trust.

Washington, March 6.—Representative Davies, of California, introduced a joint resolution for the repeal of duties on white or prieting paper and the materials from which it is made, and directing the attorney general to proceed under the anti-trust law against those manufacturing a monopoly in such paper and materials.

The resolutions recite that the existing duty of 86 per cent greatly aids in the maintenance of a monopoly, and that the price of paper has been increased 60 per cent, to the consumer, and this result is a menace to popular education and the dissemination of information.

Treating Americans Right.

Paris, March 6.—Fernand W. Peck, commissioner of the United States to the Paris exposition, who arrived here Saturday, attended the meeting of the commissioners general, at which a number of difficulties regarding space were adjusted. Mr. Peck examined the American exhibits and found the American exhibits will be ready for installation before the completion of the French building.

Will Not Be a Senator.

Nashville, Tenn., March 6.—In a speech at Pulaski, Mr. McMillin announced himself a candidate for reelection, and stated that if the people desire that he should be elected to the United States senate, he would yield to their wishes and accept. Gov. McMillin spoke in opposition to a protective tariff, and in favor of imperialism and in favor of free silver.

Fifteen Hundred Miners Strike.

Myersdale, Pa., March 6.—Fifteen hundred miners of the Myersdale coal region went out on a strike for a protective advance of 5 cents per ton to place them on an equal basis with the Georges Creek region, prior to asking for 10 cents advance. The strike, which has already been granted the Georges Creek miners.

Broke His Wife's Neck.

Brenham, Tex., March 6.—At the Carlisle plant near Chappell Hill, King Henry, a 5 ft 6 in. man, struck his wife with an iron bar, breaking her neck. The man then shot Luke Taylor to death and escaped.

PART OF WRECKED SHIP.

How a Firm of English Shipbuilders Are Utilizing Half of a Stranded Vessel.

Probably the most remarkable achievement in the line of wrecking and rebuilding is represented by the reconstructed steamer Milwaukee, which was turned out in the summer of 1899 at the yard of C. S. Swan & Hunter at Wallsend-on-Tyne, England, as a new boat for the Admiralty.

The Milwaukee, a vessel of 483 feet length and 50-foot beam, went ashore near Aberdeen in September, 1898, a huge rock penetrating the hull for a length of 30 feet and to a height of eight feet above the tank top. When the salvage operators saw that it would be impossible to save the entire vessel it was decided to blow her in two with dynamite. This was done successfully and 150 feet of the fore and aft of the vessel was blown away, leaving a hull of 333 feet in length. The saved portion of the vessel depended for flotation until placed in dry dock, where it was completely water-tight bulkhead at the forward end of the boiler space. It was towed to the Tyne and moored in the river until a new bow was built, launched and made ready for connection with it. So well was this done that a person ignorant of the facts would never know that he was looking at the original bow, while even those persons who knew the circumstances of the case were unable to point out the point where the junction of the new and old portions was made.

FROST SPOILED THE SPORT.

Sad Misfortune That Befell a Party of Georgia Chicken Fighters on a Stranded Steamboat.

Furly dejected and homesick gamblers returned to Knoxville the other day, says the Savannah News. On their way down the river, but before they left on a steamboat for an isolated resort down the river, where they expected to have a great cocking man, they were met by a terrible storm. The steamers could not leave. Before the destination was reached the steamer went on a sandbar and stuck. There was nothing to do but to wait. The weather was very cold and ice formed about the craft. The sports, determined to make the best they could of the situation, improved a pit on the deck and held a few fights. As the hours went by and the night grew older and the ice in the river thicker, there came no hope of getting the boat out of being rescued. Then someone became hungry, and it was ascertained that the sandwiches had given out. There was nothing to eat on board. For some hours longer the sports put on a brave front, but finally hunger got the best of them and they put their gamblers' valors at five to one hundred dollars each—to slaughter. For two days and two nights they hung up the salar, eating chicken that fairly tasted of misery.

TWO TALL STORIES.

One Each from Boston and Philadelphia, So Each Must Be True.

A writer in a Boston publication says that not long ago a hawk caught a fish from Long Island sound, but while doing with it to the woe of a devotee of the cure, the fish floundered from the hawk's hold and dropped into a farmer's yard. One of the farmer's sons was sitting. The dog caught the fish as it came down, and the hawk swooped after it, but the dog turned and ran into the house, with the fish in its mouth alive, at the feet of his mistress. It proved to be a large bluefish, and it was served up that night to an appreciative family.

A story from Philadelphia says that the most famous fish in comparative history was caught in the city of Philadelphia Christmas day, knocked him down and dislocated his shoulder. He was put into a wagon and driven to the Pennsylvania hospital. The wagon jumped over the curb in the pavement and the jar sent his head flying. When he got to the hospital, the surgeon found the skull all right, but he had a very bad case of concussion.

Georgians Swords.

Of gorgeous swords which are not so much weapons as settings for precious stones, the most valuable in England is said to be the one presented by the Egyptians to Lord Wolsley and valued at £10,000. This sword is comparatively little for a bejeweled sword if the value of the sword brought over to Europe by the shah of Persia on his first visit to London. The shah was taken as a standard of what a diamond-dipped weapon ought to cost. Those who recall that wonderful saber, says Chambers, will not be surprised to learn that about the existence of the shah's sword, the baron's gorgeous blade, which is supposed to be worth more than 100,000 pounds, and the value of the shah's; but it is popularly supposed that the diamonds, rubies and emeralds set in the hilt and guard are worth up to a value of £220,000, which at four per cent, represents an income of almost £9,000 a year and renders the possession of such a sword something more than a mere luxury.

Rich Ores Coenders.

In Italy is to be found a whole village of well-to-do organ grinders, who are now spending comfortable fortunes acquiring in America.

Pugons in Irish Army.

Each of the 100,000 men in the carrier service of the British army costs the government £4 a year.

Some Smiths in United Kingdom.

In the United Kingdom there are 300,000 persons named Smith.



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OUR TELEPHONE BOX

Correspondents will please give facts as briefly as possible. When anything of great importance occurs use the Telegram or the Telephone on our expense.

KENNARD.

Mrs. Julia Houghbaw will make her home with her mother.

*May the old waves soon start for the North Pole is the wish of many of our people.

Louis Stamm and wife have moved to Lexington where they will make their future home.

Mr. Thomas White spent Wednesday with his brother-in-law, John Clinger, of Fern Leaf.

Mr. O. Buckner of Mt. Olivet was the guest of our blacksmith, Henry Crawford, Wednesday.

Elmore French of near Abigail has moved on the farm he purchased from Casper Houghbaw.

J. S. Hicks is building a dwelling house on some land he purchased from the heirs of Asbury Case near Tangle-town.

The Pastor of the M. E. Church at Salem failed to put in an appearance Sunday, but his place was amply filled by Rev. A. I. Hicks.

The boys in this vicinity are making war on the wild ducks. They report that they are quite plentiful on the placid water of the North Fork.

[From Another Correspondent.]

Mrs. Lucy Davis died February 28 of measles.

Elder H. M. Ellis has moved from here to Tolleysboro.

Mrs. Perry Thomas's little child was seriously though not fatally burned Friday.

P. F. Martin purchased a house and lot from Mrs. E. N. Jackson and moved in last week.

Omar Million, who has been attending school in Valparaiso, Ind., returned home last week.

John Mark, who left this country 17 years ago, and has since resided in Indiana, is visiting relatives here.

Ernest J. Hall, the poet and publisher, says that one dose of Foley's Honey and Catarrh restored his voice. He had threatened to prevent his lecture at Central Music Hall, Cincinnati, Jan. Wood & Son and Armstrong & Co.

A recruiting office will be opened at Catletts this week for men to fill the Regiments in this country.

In 1886 the C. and O. handled 6,168,072 bushels of grain to Newport News. In 1886 it handled 25,367,727.

While bowling Saturday night at Cynthiana, Hon. J. L. Blanton, attorney for the L. and N., slipped and fell, breaking his leg between the knee and hip.

The remains of seventeen soldiers passed West over the C. and O. one day last week from the Philippines, where they had lost their lives either in battle or by sickness.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Bruce R. Morfan, Jr., of Covington and Miss Belle Platt, formerly of New York, but now of Erlanger. Miss Platt is a graduate of St. Francis de Sales Academy and has many friends in this city.

Mr. J. W. McGarvey, Jr., well known in this section, starts Thursday on his Oriental tour. He sails directly to Naples, touching at the Azores Islands and Gibraltar, thence to Egypt, Palestine, Asia Minor, Constantinople, Greece, Italy, Central and Southern Europe, taking in the Paris Exposition.

Lincinger La Grippe Cough.

O. Vacher, 127 Oregon St., Chicago, says: "My wife had a very severe case of la grippe, and it left her with a very bad cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Catarrh, and it gave immediate relief. A second bottle cured her cough entirely." Price 25c and 50c. J. A. Wood & Son and Armstrong & Co.

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Books now open for subscription to stock in 22d series; 50¢ per share. Safe investment, paying good dividends. Call on any of the officers.

THE Y. M. C. A.

What is Being Done For the Young Men of Mayville.

The following is the report of the Mayville Y. M. C. A. for the month of February:

1,308 visits to rooms were made in the 28 days they were open.

46 being the average per day.

122 total number times the gymnasium was used.

30 gymnasium classes conducted and 190 were in attendance.

30 baths were taken.

90 were present at members reception.

100 attended book reception, which resulted in:

40 books being added to library.

30 books drawn from the library.

110 was the aggregate attendance at 4 Sunday afternoon meetings.

9 new members and renewals.

7 delegates attended Convention at Covington.

5 committee meetings held; 25 in attendance.

Rev. Amos Boring, well known in this city, fell from a ladder Saturday at his home at Bellevue and received serious injuries.

Hon. William A. Young, Democrat of Morehead, has announced himself a candidate for Congress from this Congressional District.

Circuit Judge Scott, in a decision handed down at Winchester, holds that National Bank stock is not taxable for state and county purposes.

A petition from the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce has been presented asking Congress to purchase additional land for the Government reservation at Fort Thomas.

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A HOWLING SUCCESS!

Was the Meeting of the Limestone Debating Club.

DRYDEN AND DAILY, STARS.

The Meeting One of the Best Yet Held by This Society.



Last Friday night The Limestone Fire Hall was comfortably filled with eager and anxious listeners long before the hour arrived for the discussion of that well worn yet fruitful subject, "Resolved, That the Negro Has Been More Mal-Treated Than the Indian."

Messrs. Simons, Meenach and Dryden of the affirmative and Turnipseed, Simons and Daily of the negative, were the principal speakers.

Mr. Dryden, the "Tall Sycamore of the Sixth," arose, amid wild applause, and undertook to dissect the vital question.

He gave vent to his feelings, and his argument came as a cyclone, sweeping everything before him, angling every word from the Koran down to the speller of a Dutch butcher, and it was then that the Judges realized the awful cruelty to which the Negro had long been subjected, being butchered in such a manner, if not more so, than the English language.

He dealt largely with the evils and cruelties arising from slavery.

Two pictures had forcibly presented themselves before his mind—that of John Wickliffe and Abraham Lincoln.

As the reformer was the morning star of the Reformation, so was the latter the bright and morning star of Freedom, who advocated one Flag, and which meant that while the Negro was dwarfed by hunger, broken in spirit, victims of tyranny and caste, yet their children born of liberty and love, will be fair, intelligent and free.

Mr. Dryden continued his speech in eloquent terms, thanking his friends for their earnest and inexpressible attention and trusted that his feeble remarks would be productive of overwhelming profits, and returning his heartfelt sympathies, he resumed his seat.

Mr. Daily, the "Goliath of the Fifth," then followed, exclaiming as he arose to his feet, "Dunder and Blitzen, God Save Hoeh Der Doodle."

Always popular, he scored many hits.

Mr. Joshua Simons closed the argument in such forcible manner that made the decision of the Judges unanimous in favor of the affirmative.

The meeting then adjourned.

INDIGESTION

Cured by Johnson's Dyspepsia Cure.
"I suffered over two years with Indigestion and Nervous Dyspepsia, unable to eat or sleep. I tried several physicians and different remedies, but they only helped me for a short time. A friend advised me to take Johnson's Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken three boxes, and am now feeling better than I have for two years. I have gained ten pounds in weight within a couple of months. I am taking pleasure in recommending Johnson's Dyspepsia Cure wherever I can, and several of my friends are taking it with marked results."—A. Arnold, Chm., Large Blue and Red Pills, Five and Ten Cent Boxes. Made at THE JOHNSON LABORATORIES, INC., PHILADELPHIA.

THEO. J. CHENOWETH, Druggist.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Morris Allen, a barber of Danville, Va., while intoxicated, fell down a stairway and broke his neck.

The South Georgia railway is to be extended from its present terminus at Quitman, Ga., to Tomps, Fla.

Thos. W. Stanley, a merchant of Lawrence, Ala., has been placed in jail on the charge of gaming.

Wm. J. Bryan, after a nine weeks' absence touring the United States, returned to his winter residence in Austin, Tex.

At Huntsville, Ala., John Moore, convicted of assault and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary, has been accorded a new trial.

John Westervelt, his wife and 5-year-old daughter were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home at Chaffins Hill.

Belle Walsh, niece of the late United States Senator Walsh, and society edress of the Chronicle at Augusta, Ga., has entered a convent in that city.

The revenue cutters Onondago and Windom, now at Norfolk, Va., are preparing to make another search for the Spanish steamer Minerva, which has been missing several days.

Jacky Murray, of Cincinnati, and Joe Youngs, of Buffalo, fought 20 fast rounds to a draw before the Hot Springs Athletic club. About 1,000 spectators were present, including a dozen women.

At Norfolk, Va., Wm. J. Garland, 45 years old, charged with the murder of his rich wife, 70 years old, by stabbing her in the heart with a knitting needle, was discharged after two weeks' detention in jail.

Mrs. Joe Thompson, who was president of the woman's board of the Cotton States exposition held in Atlanta in 1895, has been appointed by Gov. Candler as special lady commissioner from Georgia to the Paris exposition.

MONDAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

President Cabrera, of Guatemala, has ordered the pardon of all political prisoners.

Twenty stockmen and railroad men were hurt in a railway wreck near Chicago. Two may die.

Col. C. C. Carr, of the 5th United States cavalry, has been ordered to Manila. He has just arrived from Porto Rico.

The transport Grant arrived at San Francisco with 201 sick soldiers, 27 discharged men and 27 cabin passengers. Six deaths occurred during the passage.

The treasury department is considering the plan for complying with the new currency law promptly, and will put it into operation soon after its passage.

Sharkey and Fitzsimmons have signed articles of agreement for a 20-round bout before the club offering the largest purse, during the first week in August.

The British have three armies in the field—one in the Free State, one in Cape Colony and the other in Natal. An air of mystery is thrown around their movements. President Kruger issued an appeal to his troops to stand fast.

The senate committee on Philippines decided to report the bill introduced by Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin, for control of the Philippines. The sovereignty of the United States, after the rebellion has been completely suppressed, shall be vested in the judicial and civil powers to be appointed by the president.

A bill was introduced in the democratic senate of Kentucky providing that any state officer who shall unlawfully hold possession of an office for a longer period than five days after the legislature or state contest board shall have declared another person legally elected shall be guilty of felony; also a bill to investigate the report concerning shipments of state and military paraphernalia to London, Ky.

Porto Ricans Paraded.

San Juan, Porto Rico, March 6.—The Porto Ricans are jubilant over the news of the passing of the bill returning the Porto Rican duties. The people generally are satisfied and approve the 15 per cent. measure. They are feverishly awaiting the action of the senate.

THE MARKETS.

Cincinnati, March 5.
FLOUR—Spring family, \$3.05@3.20; spring family, \$2.90@3.05; spring patent, \$3.55@3.90; winter family, \$2.65@2.80; winter patent, \$3.35@3.70; extra, \$2.50@2.85; low grade, \$1.75@1.95.
GRAIN—Wheat: No. 2, red, track, 73½¢; No. 2 yellow, track, 35½¢; Oats: No. 2 mixed, 26¢, on track.
LIVE STOCK—Hogs: Select shippers, \$5; select butchers, \$4.75; fair to good light, \$4.25@4.40; common and roughs, \$4.06@4.75. Cattle: fair to good shippers, \$4.06@4.75; fair to choice butchers, \$4.35@4.75; fair to medium butchers, \$3.50@4.25; common, 24th and 25th ayval yonalmon, \$3.65@3.85; Sheep: Extras, \$5.00; good to choice, \$3.25@3.75; common to fair, \$2.25@2.75. Calves: Fair to good light, \$6.25@7.50; common and large, \$5.50@5.75.
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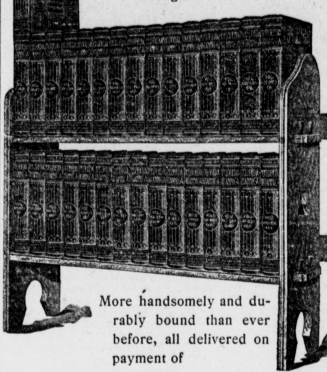
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